## NUTS AND NUT PRODUCTS

6170. Adulteration of shelled Spanish peanuts. U. S. v. 205 Bags of Shelled Spanish Peanuts. Decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond for cleaning. (F. D. C. No. 12826. Sample No. 53679–F.)

LIBEL FILED: June 29, 1944, Southern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 3, 1944, by Burroughs & Jennings, from San Antonio, Tex.

PRODUCT: 205 bags, each containing approximately 113 pounds, of shelled Spanish peanuts at Los Angeles, Calif.

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy and decomposed substance.

DISPOSITION: July 14, 1944. The Los Angeles Nut House, claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for reconditioning by removal of the extraneous and foreign substances contained in the bags and the cleaning of the nuts, under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration. The unfit portion was denatured with kerosene.

6171. Adulteration of peanuts. U. S. v. 225 Bags of Peanuts. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released for segregation and destruction of the unfit portion. (F. D. C. No. 12404. Sample No. 77287-F.)

LIBEL FILED: May 19, 1944, District of New Jersey.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 6, 1944, by the H. C. Williams Peanut Co., Ashburn, Ga.

PRODUCT: 225 100-pound bags of peanuts at West New York, N. J.

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in part of filthy and decomposed substances, dirty, moldy, and decomposed peanuts, stones, stems, and pieces of hull.

Disposition: July 24, 1944. President Products, Inc., having appeared as claimant and having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond for elimination of the objectionable material under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

6172. Adulteration of shelled peanuts. U. S. v. 387 Bags of Shelled Peanuts. Consent decree of condemnation. Product ordered released under bond. (F. D. C. No. 12453. Sample No. 80084–F.)

LIBEL FILED: May 26, 1944, Eastern District of Missouri.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 30, 1944, by the Leesburg Peanut Co., from Leesburg, Ga.

PRODUCT: 387 bags, each containing 120 pounds, of shelled peanuts, at St. Louis, Mo.

VIOLATION CHARGED: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a filthy and decomposed substance by reason of the presence of dirty and rancid peanuts.

Disposition: June 30, 1944. The National Candy Co., St. Louis, Mo., claimant, having admitted the allegations of the libel, judgment of condemnation was entered and the product was ordered released under bond, conditioned that the unfit portion be segregated and destroyed under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

6173. Adulteration of peanut butter. U. S. v. 171 Cases of Peanut Butter. Default decree of condemnation and destruction. (F. D. C. No. 12464. Sample No. 52262–F.)

LIBEL FILED: May 31, 1944, District of Rhode Island.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 14, 1944, by the Nut Food Co., Inc., from New Haven, Conn.

PRODUCT: 171 cases, each containing 24 1-pound jars, of peanut butter at Providence, R. I.

LABEL, IN PART: "Armour's Star \* \* \* Peanut Butter \* \* \* Armour and Company Distributors \* \* \* Chicago, Ill."